



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ratan K. Chaudhuri

Examiner: Patricia A. Leith

Serial No.: 10/691,959

Group Art Unit: 1655

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Title: METHOD FOR PROTECTING OF SKIN AGAINST SUN-INDUCED

DAMAGE BY ORAL ADMINISTRATION OF AN EXTRACT OF EMBLICA

OFFICINALIS, (syn. PHYLLANTHUS EMBLICA)

REPLY

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 29, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows and consider the remarks

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.